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MAIN STREET PAVING TO BEGIN TOMORROW, MARCH 30

(March 29, 2005) The paving of the new westbound lanes of Main Street from 1st Street to 7th Street will begin on Wednesday, March 30. A large piece of equipment (a cement conveyor) will be used to pour the concrete used on Main Street. During the paving operation, motorists should expect delays along Main from North County to First Street.

The paving is scheduled to begin at 9am and last until 6 p.m. each day. During that time, westbound motorists will be detoured off of Main Street onto Oak Street to get around the paving operations. Eastbound traffic on Main will be maintained; however, there will be periodic stoppages of eastbound traffic due to the paving operations. Traffic along Main Street is anticipated to be impacted through Friday, April 1st.

The intersections of 6th Street, 4th Street, and 2nd Street will be closed for the duration of the paving until the concrete has reached an acceptable strength to allow vehicular traffic across it. During this time, the intersections of 5th Street and 3rd Street will remain open to traffic. Once the concrete has reached an acceptable strength and the secondary streets can be opened (approximately one week), the contractor will return to pave the 5th Street and 3rd Street intersections.

If possible, motorists are encouraged to find an alternate route to get to their destination during the paving operations.

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